1	2	3	4
	in Hindon		
	Krishi Doab		
166	Tehri		
	(a) Oam	193.79	-
	(Irrigation Share)		
	(b) Water	-	270.00
	Utilisation		
167	Jaraui Pump	3.48	17.21
	Canal		
	TOTAL	3307.46	4137.05
	Uttaranchal		
168	Jamrani Dam	24.19	60.60
	TOTAL	24.19	60.60
	West Bangal		
169	Barrage and	60.44	510.11
	Irrigation		
	System of DVC		
170	Kangsabatl	190.71	401.66
171	Teesta Barrage	673.11	533.52
	Subernarekha	14.57	114.20
	TOTAL	938.83	1559.49

Talks with Bangladesh and Nepal on river water sharing

2693. SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the details of agreements arrived at by the Joint River Commission in its meeting held in Dhaka regarding sharing of water of common rivers by India and Bangladesh;

(b) whether Government propose to hold bilateral talks with Nepal in resolving problem concerning common rivers; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY): (a) The Joint Rivers Commission in its meeting held at Dhaka in January, 2001 held discussions on the following issues:—

(i) Sharing of Teesta Water.

(ii) Formulation of Action Plan to combat the flood situation in both the countries.

(iii) Submission of inspection report by Joint Inspection Team on Feeder Canal at Farakka when the flow in Ganga at Farakka is below, 60,000 cusec during the guarantee period.

(iv) Technical land financial assistance to Government of Bangladesh for feasibility and detailed engineering works of the proposed Ganges Barrage Project in Bangladesh.

(v) Exchange of technology in combating arsenic problems.

(vi) Resolving border/common rivers problems by mutual consultations.

(b) and (c) Bilateral talks between India and Nepal relating to water resources development are going on since long. A Treaty concerning the integrated development of Mahakali river including Sarda Barrage, Tankapur Barrage and Pancheshwar Multipurpose Project was signed on 12.2.96 between Government of Nepal and Government of India. Besides this, the dialogue is also going on the Sapta Kosi and Sun Kosi Multipurpose Project. Recently, a Nepal-India Joint Committee on Water Resources (JCWR) headed by Water Resources secretaries has been formed in pursuance of the decisions taken by Prime Ministers of Nepal and India during the visit of Prime Minister of Nepal in August 2000, with a mandate to discuss all important issues pertaining to cooperation in the field of water resources sector including implementation of existing agreements/undertakings. This Committee has held its first meeting during 1-3rd October, 2000.

Contamination of water of Lower Gangetic Plain of West Bengal

2694. SHRI MANOJ BHATTACHARYA: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state: